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COMPLAINTS of a neglected education are becoming rarer and should soon cease for those who feel this disadvantage keenly are being more and more helped to overcome it. Reading courses, night schools, correspondence courses, university extension lectures—so many helps to the neglected mind were never offered before. A taste for reading is in itself an education. *Quentin Durward* is a peg from which the whole world of the fifteenth century may hang. Saint Simon will lead an inquiring mind into the rich field of the great age of France. If a working man or woman has not the time to study any special era the various outlines now offered will give a general insight into the great currents of human thought and action, of what arts have done for the human spirit and how art took shape as science and science remodeled all of organized society. But for the most part outlines are to be avoided: better one book, thoroughly enjoyed, than those headlong flights through consecrated ground.

THE *Booklist* would welcome an expression from its users as to the listing of collections of short stories. These are so numerous, differ so widely in content, the stories are representative of such various types of writing, and yet the books are of so nearly equal merit as collections that it is difficult to decide which ones shall be included and which discarded. Our collaborators usually vote favorably on all good collections. Do subscribers like to know about all of them?

WE ARE glad to announce that a new number of the Viewpoints series—*Viewpoints in modern drama*—has just gone to press. It will be similar to the earlier *Viewpoints* in form and appearance but of much greater length. The compilation has been made by Francis K. W. Drury of Brown University Library, who has divided his book into two parts: "Plays of today" and "Books on the modern drama." In the first part 367 plays are listed; each play is characterized and graphically described, and length and acting facts are given. Books on the modern drama are carefully evaluated, lists of plays are cited and collections analyzed. It is expected that this will be the most popular number in a popular series and that it will be welcomed by Little Theaters and dramatic clubs, high schools and colleges.

HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY LIST

For one reason or another these books are considered of possible interest in a high school library. G indicates a book suitable also for grade school collection.

Bobbitt	How to make a curriculum. 93.
Brooks	Why the weather? 96.
Engeln	The story key to geographic names. 109. G.
Noice	With Stefansson in the Arctic. 107. G.

SMALL LIBRARY LIST

This is a suggestive list for the small library. Please read the notes before buying, and decide whether your particular community will use these books or not. There may be items of interest to you in the document list in this number.

Non-fiction

Aimery de Pierrebourg	The life and death of Cleopatra. 107.
Bradford	Bare souls. 108.
Brockwell	The police dog. 96.
Brooks	Why the weather? 96.
Burt	The diary of a dude-wrangler. 105.
Clemens	Mark Twain's autobiography. 108.
Croly	Willard Straight. 108.
Grey	Tales of southern rivers. 100.
Hallmark	The well-dressed woman. 97.
Kellogg	Evolution. 98.
Kent	Voyaging southward from the Strait of Magellan. 107.
Lagerlöf	Mårbacka. 109.
Masters	The wonders of salvage. 98.
Merriam	Non-voting. 95.
Noice	With Stefansson in the Arctic. 107.
Rusk	Tales of a western mountaineer. 107.
Watkins	First aid to the opera-goer. 101.

Fiction

Berg	The motherless. 110.
Galsworthy	The white monkey. 111.
Lincoln	Rugged water. 111.
Mottram	The Spanish farm. 112.
Thornton	An astronomer at large. 114.
Timmermans	Pallieter. 114.
Walpole	The old ladies. 114.

Children's Books

Brown	Robin Hollow. 115. G.
Hillyer	A child's history of the world. 116. G.
Hodgkins	The Atlantic treasury of childhood stories. 116. G.
Orton	Summer at Cloverfield farm. 117. G.
Singmaster	A boy at Gettysburg. 117. G.

Correction: In the November *Booklist*, p. 54, the publisher's name was omitted from Bolger, *Business letters for dictation*. It is Isaac Pitman, New York.

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GENERAL LITERATURE

000 GENERAL WORKS

Logasa, Hannah, *comp.* An index to one-act plays; comp. by Hannah Logasa and Winifred Ver Nooy. Bost.Faxon, 1924. 327p. $6.

A list of about five thousand one-act plays published since 1900, entered under title, author and subject. Number and kind of characters, setting and suitability are given under title, with references to books in which the play appears. Authors are members of the University of Chicago library staff.

016.8 Drama—Bibliography 24-21477/3

100-200 PHILOSOPHY—RELIGION

Griffitts, Charles Hurlbut. Fundamentals of vocational psychology. N.Y.Macmillan,1924. 372p. illus. $2.50.

A presentation of the theory and technique of vocational psychology, the latter including a rather full discussion of tests. Intended for use in classes for training employment managers and vocational advisers it confines itself more to fundamental principles than to actual practices. Bibliography. Author is assistant professor of psychology in the University of Michigan.

150 Psychology, Physiological 24-11340/3

Marchant, *Sir* **James,** *ed.* Immortality, by Sir Flinders Petrie and others. N.Y.Putnam,1924. 224p. $1.75.

Distinguished English scholars discuss the subject from all angles—philosophy, ethics, and science. The first four chapters describe the ideas of the Egyptian, Greek, Indian, and Hebrew. The remainder give the Christian view and demand personal survival as a fact because without it the world would be a moral chaos.

218 Immortality 24-20073/3

Martin, Everett Dean. The mystery of religion. N.Y.Harper, 1924. 391p. $3.

A study in social psychology in which methods of analyzing and solving psychological problems are applied to the mystery and symbolism of religion. A thought-provoking, stimulating book, written with clarity and simplicity. Dr. Martin is director of the People's institute of New York and of the Cooper union.

201 Psychology, Religious || Social psychology 24-13283/4

Petrie, *Sir* **William Matthew Flinders.** Religious life in ancient Egypt. Bost.Houghton,1924. 221p. $2.

A brief intelligible outline of the popular religious and folklore beliefs of ancient Egypt, showing the practical part which religious observances and faith played in the daily life of the Egyptians. A companion volume to *Social life in ancient Egypt* (*Booklist,* 20:170, F 24)

299 Egypt—Religion 24-26344/3

Samuel, Maurice. You Gentiles. N.Y.Harcourt,1924. 221p. $2.

A skilful presentation of the author's thesis that there is an impassable

Note: Number in right margin after each title is for use in ordering Library of Congress cards. When two publishers are mentioned in the imprint and the name of one appears before the card number this is to indicate that L. C. cards are available for foreign edition only.

and irreconcilable gulf between Jew and Gentile. He sets characteristics of the Jewish race and difficulties of adjustment based on accurate historical records over against wholly modern experiences of the Gentile world and the result is a book more interesting than valuable and marked more by emphasis than by logic.

296 Jews || Jewish question **24-20067/4**

Walsh, William Sebastian. The mastery of fear. N.Y.Dutton,1924. 315p. $2.

A helpful book for the chronic worrier. It gives a common-sense presentation of the part fear plays in human life, pointing out its causes, and classifying and analyzing various types—fear of illness, ridicule, old age, death—with suggestions for allaying them. Popular style.

131 Fear **24-12129/3**

300 SOCIOLOGY

Bobbitt, John Franklin. How to make a curriculum. Bost. Houghton,1924. 292p. $1.80.

Based on a method of curriculum improvement for Los Angeles schools this is a systematic presentation of the larger aims of education and of the principles and objectives which should guide the curriculum maker in the preparation of the various school subjects and activities. Teachers will be genuinely interested in this careful work of a well-known educator.

375 Education—Curricula **24-5813/3**

Bogardus, Emory Stephen. Fundamentals of social psychology (The Century social science series) N.Y.Century, 1924. 479p. $3.75.

A comprehensive study intended primarily as a textbook. Presents the fundamental principles of social psychology, drawing freely upon the writings of well-known men in this field. Chapter summaries, questions, problems and bibliographies. Author is professor of sociology in the University of Southern California.

301 Social psychology **24-11663/3**

Brown, Irving Henry. Gypsy fires in America. N.Y.Harper, 1924. 244p. illus. $3.

Gipsy ways and character delightfully and sympathetically interpreted by one who claims to be of their blood, who speaks their language, and has lived in their camps from New York to California. What Mr. Bercovici calls a "gypsy epic."

397 Gipsies—U. S. **24-21344/3**

Collins, Francis Arnold. Our harbors and inland waterways. N.Y.Century,1924. 295p. $2.

A popular summary of facts relating to harbor facilities and canals in this country with a chapter on proposed American waterways. Superficial but will give the general reader condensed information about our large ports and an idea of the importance of adequate harbors and connected water routes.

387 Harbors—U. S. || Inland navigation—U. S. **24-21786/4**

Conference on unemployment, *Washington, D. C., 1921. Committee on seasonal operation, in the construction industries.* Seasonal operation in the construction industries, the facts and remedies. N.Y.McGraw-Hill,1924. 213p. $2.50.

The facts and conditions which the survey disclosed and the recom-

mendations for methods of solution through the cooperation of the trades and professions concerned in each locality are here presented in detail.

331 Building—U. S. || Unemployed—U. S. 24-21888/4

Fitch, John Andrews. The causes of industrial unrest. N.Y. Harper,1924. 424p. $3.

A judicial consideration of the prevailing conditions and phenomena which cause and contribute to industrial unrest, making no attempt, however, to offer solutions for a problem which the author considers inherent in human psychology. Contains an instructive section on the relation of the government to unrest. Bibliographies.

331.8 Labor and laboring classes—U. S. || Trade unions—U. S. 24-20077/4

Grigg, *Sir* Edward William Macleay. The greatest experiment in history. New Haven,Yale univ.,1924. 216p. $2.50.

Addresses delivered before the Institute of politics on "British policy in the world and the British point of view." The author, a student of history and contemporary affairs, acknowledges himself an "unrepentant Englishman," confident in the belief that a correct conception of British policy on the part of the United States can lead only to a widened sympathy between the two nations. Style, though pithy, has the polished eloquence of the diplomat.

327 Great Britain—Politics and government || Eastern question (Balkan) || Europe—Politics || Imperialism 24-20066/6

An **international** year book of child care and protection. N.Y. Longmans,1924. 448p. $2.50.

Contains information regarding marriage and divorce laws, child welfare activities, education, employment, delinquency, legislation and societies and institutions in all the countries in the world and in the separate states of the United States. Also includes the League of nations' laws relating to child life, etc., the Roman Catholic and Mohammedan law regulating marriage and divorce and an international who's who.

362 Children—Charities, protection, etc. || Children—Employment || Juvenile delinquency 24-17242/5

Luce, Robert. Legislative assemblies (The science of legislation) Bost.Houghton,1924. 691p. $6.

The second volume in this important series of studies of the science of legislation, treating in detail all matters pertaining to the physical composition of the legislative assembly, such as time, place, qualifications, salaries and decorum, and such questions as capacity and training of members, lobbying, bribery and similar practices. Author is congressman from Massachusetts.

328 Legislative bodies—U. S. || U. S.—Politics and government || Legislative bodies 24-18642/5

Macquoid, Percy. Four hundred years of children's costumes from the great masters, 1400-1800. Bost.Medici soc.,1923. 140p. illus. $3.75.

A book of genuine historic and artistic interest giving a survey of children's costumes as shown in the paintings of the great masters for four centuries, illustrated by thirty-four of the fine colored plates for which the Medici society is famous.

391 Children—Costume || Children in literature and art 24-19457/4

Maxey, Chester Collins. An outline of municipal government. GardenCity,N.Y.,Doubleday,1924. 388p. $3.

A textbook covering clearly the problems of government, municipal

functions, such as city planning, public safety and welfare, and municipal finance. An outgrowth of the author's work as a professor of political science in Western reserve university. A companion volume edited by the same author is *Readings in municipal government* (Garden City, N.Y.,Doubleday,1924. 627p. $3.50. 24–10823) containing source readings from official documents by writers of repute.

352 Municipal government 24–10822/3

Merriam, Charles Edward. Non-voting, by Charles Edward Merriam and Harold Foote Gosnell. Chic.Univ.ofChic., 1924. 287p. $2.50.

An analysis of the causes of non-voting, based on a survey of the non-voters in a recent mayoralty election in Chicago. The methods of the survey are described and the results graphed and carefully analyzed. Important as the most comprehensive study of its kind, it discloses many interesting and valuable facts of a specific and reliable character. The work was done largely by graduate students in the University of Chicago.

324 Elections || Ballot 24–21889/4

O'Shea, Michael Vincent, *ed.* The child: his nature and his needs. Valparaiso,Ind.Children's foundation,1924. 516p. illus. $1.

A large-scale work prepared by the Children's foundation, making available for parents and teachers careful digests of present-day knowledge "regarding the nature and the physical, intellectual, social, and moral needs of childhood and youth." The contributors rank high as specialists in child study and education and include such names as William Healy, Leta S. Hollingworth, Arnold Gesell and others.

370.1 Child study || Children—Care and hygiene || Education of children || Children's foundation 24–12908/6

Shurick, Adam Thomas. The coal industry. Bost.Little,1924. 383p. illus. $3.50.

A comprehensive statement of facts concerning all phases of the industry—its history, American coal fields and reserves, methods of mining, distribution, and the economic and social problems to which it gives rise. Intended to give the general reader the basic information essential to an understanding of its important social aspects. Statistical tables appended.

338.2 Coal trade—U. S. || Coal mines and mining—U. S. 24–16204/4

White, Percival. Marketing practice, by Percival White and Walter S. Hayward. GardenCity,N.Y.,Doubleday,1924. 577p. illus. $3.50.

A practical guide to marketing, thoroughly up to date, for the business man as well as the student. Excellent arrangement, and list of collateral readings. *Partial contents*: Marketing agencies—Basic marketing systems—The retail system—Marketing problems of the individual business.

338 Marketing 24–13696/3

400 PHILOLOGY

Clément, Marguerite. Voici la France! a French reader and conversation book, by Marguerite Clément and Teresa Macirone (Heath's modern language series) Bost.Heath, 1924. 287p. illus. $1.44.

Selections for reading in French with study questions and exercises attached. The text is concerned with French places and manners in Paris and in the provinces and each chapter is accompanied by a photograph of

the subject discussed. Vocabulary and map. Good, interesting practice material for the student with a knowledge of basic principles.

448 French language—study and teaching 24-8056/3

Lee, Ettie. Living English for new Americans, by Ettie Lee and Jennie I. Page. N.Y.Macmillan,1924. 262p. illus. $1.

Reading lessons and conversation exercises for use in Americanization classes, just beyond the beginning stage of learning English. Text is based on everyday activities and accompanied by good photographs.

420.7 English language—Study and teaching 24-8511/3

500-600 NATURAL SCIENCE—USEFUL ARTS

Brockwell, David. The police dog. N.Y.Watt,1924. 190p. illus. $2.50.

"This volume may be used as an authority; its chapters on origin and history, appearance and characteristics, breeding, training, diseases, and accidents, and its photographs of dogs make it an attractive book for reading, as well as for instruction and guidance."—*Municipal Reference Library Notes,* S 17, 24.

636.7 Police dog 24-26934/3

Brooks, Charles Franklin. Why the weather? by Charles Franklin Brooks and others. N.Y.Harcourt,1924. 310p. illus. $2.

A clear, carefully prepared, and readable presentation of the many phases of weather science. The book is the outgrowth of daily explanations of the weather to Dr. Brooks' classes in meteorology at Clark university, and gives just the desired information about fundamentals. Well illustrated. Index.

551.5 Weather 24-22933/3

Croft, Terrell Williams. Alternating-current armature winding. N.Y.McGraw-Hill,1924. 352p. illus. $3.

"A book of practical type designed to aid the electrical worker interested in the practical side of winding and rewinding alternating-current stators, to perform ordinary armature-winding operations. Not concerned with armature design. Contains over three hundred illustrations and winding diagrams." *Technical books of 1923.* A selection. Pratt institute free library.

621.31 Armatures || Electric machinery—Alternating current 24-3935/4

Davenport, Frances Isabel. Salvaging of American girlhood; a substitution of normal psychology for superstition and mysticism in the education of girls. N.Y.Dutton,1924. 302p. $3.

Records the results of a scientific investigation of the sex knowledge of girls in a teachers' training college, critically presenting the conclusions with recommendations for an enlightened method of educating young women to a knowledge of physiology and sex hygiene, and instilling in them a social attitude toward the institution of marriage. A plain-spoken, vigorous challenge to parents and educators.

612.6 Sexual education || Young women 24-19986/4

Dendy, Arthur. The biological foundations of society. N.Y. Appleton,1924. 197p. $2.50.

Successfully presents in a popular but thoroughly scientific way some of the laws that have governed organic evolution, tracing the sources of

human action, especially in relation to the organization and behavior of human society as far as can be ascertained in the evolutionary history of the animal kingdom.

575 Biology || Evolution 24-25370/4

Felt, Ephraim Porter. Manual of tree and shrub insects. N.Y. Macmillan,1924. 382p. illus. $3.50.

"A general account of the more important or common insects attacking shade and forest trees and shrubs and woody ornamentals"—*Subtitle.* An excellent manual for the identification and control of tree destroyers. Index.

632 Insects, injurious and beneficial || Trees—Diseases and pests 24-19302/4

Galpin, Charles Josiah. Rural social problems. N.Y.Century, 1924. 286p. $2.

Not a formal statistical study but a discussion of the humanizing forces which actually condition the life and mode of thought of the farmer—his work and home, the school, church, etc. A suggestive work which will do much to give the average man a sympathetic interest in rural life. The first of a series to be edited by the author.

630.1 Country life—U. S. || Farm life || Social problem 24-12019/5

Griscom, Ludlow. Birds of the New York city region, by Ludlow Griscom with the cooperation of the Linnaean society of New York (The American museum of natural history, handbook series, no. 9) N.Y.Museum,1923. 400p. illus. map. $1.

Fairly representative of a much wider area than New York City, it is useful for its notes on distinguishing peculiarities heretofore little known and for its valuable condensation of the field notes of seasoned and accurate observers. Does not give bird descriptions but when and where to find them.

598.2 Birds 24-3912/3

Hall, Samuel Roland. Business writing. N.Y.McGraw-Hill, 1924. 222p. illus. $2.50.

The author of the complete handbook on business correspondence (*Booklist,* 20:86, D 23) here treats other forms of business writing such as business-magazine articles, newspaper items, house organs, reports and advertisements. Practical and suggestive with concrete illustrative material. Index.

658 English language—Business English 24-21440/3

Hallmark, Harrydele. The well-dressed woman, by Anne Rittenhouse. N.Y.Harper,1924. 216p. $2.

The French standards of simplicity, suitability and harmony receive greatest emphasis in this discussion of the principles of correct dress. The relation of style to the various types is given particular attention. Treatment is less practical than Buttrick, *Principles of clothing selection* (*Booklist,* 20:365 Jl 24) but style is more attractive.

646 Clothing and dress 24-19911/3

Harris, Franklin Stewart. Scientific research and human welfare, by Franklin Stewart Harris with the collaboration of Newbern I. Butt. N.Y.Macmillan,1924. 406p. $2.50.

Summaries of the achievements of science which have profoundly

affected human activities and modes of living are given under the headings of health, communication, transportation, illumination, agriculture, engineering and mining, manufacturing and the home. A popular account of the extent to which human life has been revolutionized by the findings of scientific research.

509 Science—History || Industry—History || Inventions || Civilization 24-22058/6

Jeffries, Zay. The science of metals, by Zay Jeffries and Robert S. Archer. N.Y.McGraw-Hill,1924. 460p. illus. $5.

A valuable guide through the maze of metals and alloys, classifying and analyzing the great accumulation of facts and arranging them logically so that the student will not only gain an acquaintance with the common metals but an understanding of fundamental principles.

669 Metals || Metallurgy 24-21542/4

Jones, W. Unite. The button industry. N.Y.Pitman,1924. 113p. illus. $1.

A brief history of the button industry and a study of its extent and location at the present time. Probably devotes more than a fair amount of space to the English industry but it is carefully done and very useful as little has been written on the subject.

679 Buttons 24-26935/3

Kellogg, Vernon Lyman. Evolution. N.Y.Appleton,1924. 291p. $1.75.

Realizing that "there is plenty of evolution all around and in all of us," the author has tried to make his book human and personal by drawing upon familiar plants and animals for examples. He tells simply what he believes evolution is and what its potentialities are for the future of man in his mental and social development.

575 Evolution 24-15077/3

Koehler, Arthur. The properties and uses of wood. N.Y. McGraw-Hill,1924. 354p. illus. $3.50.

An important guide to a more intelligent selection of the right wood for a given purpose. This valuable contribution is the result of fourteen years' research work at the U. S. Forest products laboratory, the largest and best equipped laboratory of its kind in the world, done in cooperation with the University of Wisconsin. Nontechnical, well illustrated, readable.

620.12 Wood 24-19184/3

Lowry, Edith Belle. What does your child weigh? Chic. Forbes,1924. 187p. $1.25.

A discussion of the physical care of children between the ages of two and eighteen, emphasizing the problem of nourishment, and giving practical information concerning proper diet and other health habits. Very brief, simple and suitable for parents who have read little on the subject.

649.1 Children—Care and hygiene || Children—Nutrition 24-19355/4

Masters, David. The wonders of salvage. N.Y.Dodd,1924. 229p. illus. $2.50.

The thrill and dangers of salvage, its fascination and the marvelous courage and energy of the divers as portrayed in these pages, will awaken in many readers interest in a new and absorbing branch of sea-lore.

629 or 910.4 Salvage || Shipwrecks 24-25432/4

National health series. 20v. N.Y.Funk, each, 30c.

The following six volumes complete this useful series; other volumes noted in *Booklist*, 20:367, Jl 24; 21:11, O 24.

Bigelow, Maurice Alpheus. Adolescence.
613 or 136.7 Adolescence 24-19562/3

Frankel, Lee Kaufer. Health of the worker.
613 or 613.6 Occupations—Diseases and hygiene 24-17332/3

Meanes, Lenna Leota. Exercises for health.
613 or 613.7 Calisthenics 24-23133/3

Noyes, Clara Dutton. Home care of the sick.
613 or 649 Nurses and nursing 24-24039/3

Pratt, George Kenneth. Your mind and you.
613 or 613.8 Mental psychology and hygiene 24-19981/3

Wood, Thomas Denison. The child in school.
613 or 371.7 Children—Care and hygiene 24-16449/3

Pittsford, Ben C., company. Pittsford's manual for advertisers. Chic.Ballou,1924. 212p. illus. $2.50.

"Practical information about copy, typography, type faces, borders, layouts, paper stocks, engravings, color in advertising, trade marks and kindred subjects."—*Subtitle.* Deals only with the typographical side of the subject, is nontechnical and intended for the buyer of printing and advertising.

659 Advertising || Printing, Practical 24-21594/4

Schell, Erwin Haskell. The technique of executive control. N.Y.McGraw-Hill,1924. 133p. $1.75.

A brief discussion of executive conduct presenting possible solutions and methods of handling the various problems and perplexities which confront the executive. More than most of its kind, it emphasizes the personal and human aspect of the relations between the executive and employees. Author is associated with the Massachusetts institute of technology.

658 Executive ability || Employment—management 24-10224/4

Stewart, John. Bread and bread baking. N.Y.Pitman,n.d. 113p. illus. $1.

A popular account of the various processes employed in the commercial production of bread, with a brief history of bread baking, a chapter on cakes and biscuits, and one on confectioners' raw material.

641.6 Bread 24-26933/3

700 FINE ARTS

Cox, E. H. M. Rhododendrons for amateurs. N.Y.Scribner, 1924. 111p. illus. $1.75.

Simple, practical information on the distribution, habits, cultivation, and situation of both rhododendrons and azaleas with lists of desirable species and hybrids. Written for English conditions but useful to the American amateur for its descriptive lists.

716 Rhododendrons 24-26930/3

Eaton, Walter Prichard. The actor's heritage. Bost.Atlantic, 1924. 294p. illus. $4.

Chapters from the early theatrical history of England and America recalling significant facts relating to great dramatic events and players

of the past. No order or chronology is observed but the volume contains much accurate information and interesting comment concerning the plays, actors, famous performances and theatrical manners of yesterday. Numerous good illustrations. Index.

792 Theater || Theater—U. S. 24-21607/4

Erdmann, Alfred. Decorative writing and arrangement of lettering, by Prof. Alfred Erdmann and Adolphe A. Braun. N.Y.Scribner,1924. 134p. illus. $3.

A brief account of the evolution of writing and a practical manual of lettering. Includes writing exercises for decorative script, "printing" of various styles and suggestions on arrangement and composition of lettering on a page. Good plates add greatly to its value. Well printed. Bibliography.

745 Writing || Lettering (Hutchinson) 23-11720/4

Ervine, St. John Greer. The organized theatre; a plea in civics. N.Y.Macmillan,1924. 213p. $1.75.

A vigorous plea for a theater subsidized by the community, by the distinguished English playwright and producer. The author frankly and none too amiably discredits the opinions of certain well-known American critics concerning the English theater and stoutly maintains that its need is not for better plays but for more intelligent audiences. A thought-provoking discussion.

792 Theater 24-26939/3

Garside, J. T. Old English furniture. Division I, the oak period, 1500-1630. N.Y.Scribner, n.d. 154p. illus. $3.75.

"A view of its characteristics from Tudor times to the regency for the use of collectors, designers, and students."—*Subtitle.* A valuable guide to the evolution of design during this period. It is amply illustrated and fully describes outstanding details which show the constructive possibilities of various designs. Index.

749 Furniture, English 24-26936/3

Grey, Zane. Tales of southern rivers. N.Y.Harper,1924. 249p. illus. $4.

Stories of hunting and fishing in the Gulf stream and sub-tropical rivers of the Southern states and Mexico, described with a fresh vividness that gives the reader a fair imitation of the thrill of actual experience.

799 Fishing || Florida—Description and travel || Mexico—Description and travel 24-25336/5

Hartman, Lee Foster. Standardized mah jong. N.Y.Harper, 1924. 311p. illus. $2.

Not only presents fundamentals for beginners, but also a "system of Mah Jong tactics applicable to the three forms of the game which are now officially recognized in the American Code of Laws for Mah Jong." (See Pamphlets, page 120) Includes an exposition of the mixed hand or Chinese way of playing the game.

795 Mah jong 24-19364/3

McSpadden, Joseph Walker. Famous sculptors of America. N.Y.Dodd,1924. 377p. illus. $3.50.

Not a book of criticism but readable sketches designed to make the general reader familiar with American sculptors and their more impor-

tant work. A companion volume to *Famous painters of America* (*Booklist,* 3:195, N 07) Good illustrations.

730 Sculptors, American || Sculpture, American. Analytic: Sculpture, American—Bibliography 24-24271/5

Masters, Edgar Lee. The new Spoon River. N.Y.Boni and Liveright,1924. 368p. $2.50.

One discerns a few new voices and sentiments mainly echoing the war and the industrialization of Spoon River in this second anthology. The general make-up is like the first book (*Booklist,* 12:77, N 15)

811 or 821 24-23824/2

Mumford, Lewis. Sticks and stones. N.Y.Boni and Liveright, 1924. 247p. $2.50.

The first part of the book is devoted to a survey of American architecture at various stages of our history, showing how a nation's architecture may serve as an index to its civilization. This discussion leads inevitably to an indictment of the skyscraper and the tenement, symbols of an age which places mechanical skill above architectural genius. A provocative study written in the admirably lucid and smooth-flowing style of the author's *The story of Utopias* (*Booklist,* 19:177, Mr 23)

720 Architecture—U. S. 24-24043/3

Tarbell, Harlan E. How to chalk talk. Chic.Denison,1924. 94p. illus. $1.

A small book showing what can be done toward expressing an idea by simple lines.

741 Chalk-talks 24-15647/3

Watkins, Mary Fitch. First aid to the opera-goer. N.Y. Stokes,1924. 367p. illus. $3.

The stories of forty-two popular operas retold for the uninitiated opera-goer. The action is followed closely so that actual scenes may be visualized easily. Less inclusive than Melitz, *Opera goers' complete guide* (*Booklist,* 18:200, Mr 22) or Ordway, *Opera book* (*Booklist,* 14:142, Ja 18) but adequate for general use and unusually lively reading.

782 Opera 24-25348/3

800 LITERATURE

Aldington, *Mrs* **Hilda (Doolittle)** Heliodora and other poems, by H. D. Bost.Houghton,n.d. 127p. $1.50.

Genuine power in interpreting Greek themes with feeling and beauty are shown in this collection of poems, a few of which are actual translations. The experimental technique and frequent obscurity of some of these poems will restrict their appeal to a limited audience.

811 or 821 24-26922/2

Aldington, Richard. Literary studies and reviews. N.Y.Dial, 1924. 252p. $2.50.

Critical papers mostly on French literature and French writers, both early and modern. The studies have variety, interest, and discrimination, and include among the moderns, Remy de Gourmont, Marcel Proust, T. S. Eliot and James Joyce. For large libraries.

801 Criticism || Authors, French 24-26929/4

Barrington, E., *pseud.* The gallants. Bost.Atlantic,1924. 308p. $3.50.

Seven studies in gallantry, each preceded by a portrait and a brief

historical introduction. A companion volume to *The ladies* (*Booklist*, 19:44, N 22) being the same combination of imagination and history. The sketches include: Henry II, the Duke of Monmouth; Mr. Thrale; Beau Brummell; the wooing of Sir Peter Teazle; Admiral Nelson; and King George IV.

818 or 828 **24-21588/2**

Benavente y Martínez, Jacinto. Plays. Fourth series; tr. by John Garrett Underhill. N.Y.Scribner,1924. 224p. $2.50.

"The school of princesses," the title play of the present series, is one of Benavente's most brilliant royal comedies, in color and movement resembling Molnar's "The swan" which it preceded by ten years. "A lady" is a tragedy of love and desertion, a stark outline, relying solely on the bare force of drama for effect. "A field of ermine" tells a story of aristocratic life in Madrid; and "The magic of an hour" is a fantasy in which two porcelain figures come to life and talk of life and love. Other series in *Booklists*, 14:119, Ja 19; 16:122, Ja 20; 19:277, Ja 23.

862 Title Analytics (4 cards) **24-20635/6**

Beveridge, Albert Jeremiah. The art of public speaking. Bost. Houghton,1924. 67p. $1.

A small book as succinct and compact as its rules for effective speaking. Adds nothing new to the subject but restates the old fundamentals in an attractive manner.

808.5 Oratory **24-19338/3**

Bidwell, Alice Townsend. The places of English literature; a literary guide to the British Isles, by Alice Townsend Bidwell and Isabelle Denison Rosentiel. Bost.Stratford, 1924. 228p. $2.

A valuable reference book which lists the names of English writers chronologically from 450 to 1915, giving the places connected with the important events of their lives, and geographical information about their books. Three excellent indexes of places, authors, and works. Of especial interest to literary travelers.

820.9 Literary landmarks—Great Britain || Authors, English **24-14148/4**

Birrell, Augustine. More obiter dicta. N.Y.Scribner,1924. 212p. $2.25.

Seasoned essays on literary themes by a critic of the old school. The author is not only a scholar and a man of culture but a master of the gentle art of the essay.

824 **(Heinemann) 24-26923/2**

Buchan, John, *ed.* A history of English literature. N.Y.&Lond. Nelson,1924. 675p. illus. $5. 10/6.

An admirable, illustrated survey of English literature from Chaucer through Kipling and Stevenson, following on the whole a set form of treatment for each author. The information is necessarily condensed but the plan of the work is comprehensive. Prepared by a group of specialists, many of them associated with English colleges. Bibliographies.

820.9 English literature—History and criticism **24-2319/3**

Canby, Henry Seidel. Definitions; essays in contemporary criticism (Second series) N.Y.Harcourt,1924. 308p. $2.

The variety and unassuming tone of these brief papers on literary subjects together with the writer's tolerance and unflinching devotion to

a high artistic standard will recommend this volume to a large number of readers. First series in *Booklist*, 19:45, N 22.

810.9 American literature—History and criticism || American fiction—History and criticism **24-22299/4**

Davies, William Henry. Secrets. N.Y.Harcourt,1924. 48p. $1.50.

Brief lyrics taking their inspiration mainly from the small things of nature and the freshness of new love and exhibiting in occasional flashes of imagery the same delightful humor and naïveté that characterize his earlier work.

811 or 821 **24-19424/2**

Loane, George Green. A short handbook of literary terms. N.Y.Macmillan,1923. 195p. $1.75.

Explains by definition and apt examples one hundred and seventy technical literary terms such as Alexandrine, bathos, euphuism, parody, hyperbole, etc. Alphabetical arrangement. A useful reference work for advanced students.

803 Literature—Dictionaries, and encyclopedias || Rhetoric || English language—Terms and phrases **A 24-750/5**

Machen, Arthur. The London adventure; an essay in wandering. N.Y.Knopf,1924. 170p. $2.

A leisurely essay recalling in a rambling, whimsical fashion impressions of ancient, curious and little known byways of London upon a sensitive mind. Slight, with a more limited appeal than *Far off things* (*Booklist*, 19:250, My 23) and *Things near and far* (*Booklist*, 19:250, My 23) but written in the same fine prose.

824 London **24-21794/3**

Mégroz, R. L. Walter De La Mare: a biographical and critical study. N.Y.Doran,1924. 303p. $2.50.

The first attempt at a critical estimate of the author of *Memoirs of a midget*. Mr. Mégroz writes with sincerity and the fervor of a deep admiration, which lead him to overemphasize unimportant details. The biographical material is slight. *Partial contents:* Poetry as dream—Psychology of dream—Poetry of life—De La Mare's ghosts.

821 De La Mare, Walter John **(Hodder) 24-14051/3**

Mudge, Isadore Gilbert. A George Eliot dictionary, by Isadore G. Mudge and M. E. Sears. N.Y.Wilson,1924. 260p. $3.25.

Includes information regarding the names of all characters and places, historical and fictitious, which appear in the novels, stories and poems of George Eliot, as well as data about originals of characters and other miscellaneous references. Also gives synopses of her works with date of first publication. A valuable reference book.

823 Eliot, George, *pseud.*—Dictionaries **24-20006/3**

Overton, Grant Martin. Cargoes for Crusoes. N.Y.Appleton, Doran,Bost.Little,1924. 416p. illus. 50c.

Engaging comment and short biographies of contemporary writers. Similar in form and purpose to *American nights entertainment* (*Booklist*, 20:131, Ja 24) and containing information not readily found elsewhere. Authors cited: Philip Gibbs, Melville Davisson Post, Jeffery Farnol, Susan Ertz, Cosmo Hamilton, E. V. Lucas, Emerson Hough, Michael Arlen, Mary Johnston.

810.9 American literature—History and criticism || English literature—History and criticism || Authors, American || Authors, English **24-22297/6**

Rice, Cale Young. A pilgrim's scrip. N.Y.Century,n.d. 172p. $1.50.

A record in verse of the poet's travels in lands far and near, new and old. The lyrics are not descriptive but aim rather to express the distinctive character of each country and to recapture the mystery and glamour of distant climes and far-off peoples.

811 or 821 24-26943/2

Sherman, Stuart Pratt. My dear Cornelia. Bost.Atlantic, 1924. 281p. $2.50.

These conversations with Cornelia are an effective device for presenting various dissenting views concerning the ideals of the younger generation, modern morals, careers for women, and religion, pleasantly and without rancor. Subjects are less original and stimulating than in his *The genius of America* (*Booklist*, 19:311, Jl 23) but the style has the same incisiveness and flexibility.

814 or 824 24-24601/2

900 HISTORY

Bracq, Jean Charlemagne. The evolution of French Canada. N.Y.Macmillan,1924. 467p. $2.50.

A scholarly survey of the history of the French Canadians from the cession of the French colonies to England to the present time, and of their contribution to the development and progress of Canadian civilization. Bibliography.

971 French-Canadians || French in Canada || Analytic: Canada—History—Bibliography 24-20263/5

Buchan, John, *ed.* The nations of to-day, a new history of the world. Bost.Houghton,1923. each, $5.

Written by various well-known contributors, each an expert in his field, this series undertakes "to provide for the ordinary citizen a popular account of the history of his own and other nations," presenting each nation in its contemporary aspect with enough of its earlier history to make recent developments intelligible. Economic phases are fully treated as well as the story of the world war. Well indexed and documented. Bibliographies. The following volumes have appeared:

The Baltic and Caucasian states.

947 Finland—History || Baltic Provinces—History || Lithuania—History || Georgia (Transcaucasia)—History. Analytic: Baltic Provinces—History—Bibliography 24-12850/7

British America.

971 Canada—History. Analytic: Canada—History—Bibliography 24-5352/4

France.

944 France—History. Analytic: France—History—Bibliography 24-3217/4

Great Britain. 2v.

942 Great Britain—History || European war, 1914-1918—Great Britain. Analytic: Great Britain—History—Bigliography 24-12461/5

Italy.

945 Italy—History. Analytic: Italy—History—Bibliography 24-12457/4

Longford, Joseph Henry. Japan.

952 Japan—History. Analytic: Japan—History—Bibliography 24-12458/4

Yugoslavia.

949.7 Jugoslavia. Analytic: Jugoslavia—Bibliography 24-3218/4

DeBurgh, William George. The legacy of the ancient world. N.Y.Macmillan,1924. 462p. $6.

An excellent survey which presents the significant facts in the history and achievements of the Hebrews, Greeks and Romans, carrying the narrative through the rise of Christianity and the middle ages. Aims to give the reader with a scattered knowledge of the past a unified, balanced idea of its contributions to present-day civilization. Bibliography.

901 Civilization—History 24-12630/3

Faris, John Thomson. The romance of forgotten towns. N.Y. Harper,1924. 335p. illus. $6.

Forty-two chapters covering twenty states, arranged chronologically, which tell of some of the discouragements, forlorn hopes, and disasters that accompanied the settlement of America. It digs out from musty archives many curious and interesting bits of early history. Abundantly illustrated.

973 Cities and towns—U. S. 24-22259/3

Osborn, Chase Salmon. Madagascar. N.Y.Republic,1924. 443p. illus. maps. $5.

A record of unusual sights and scientific facts from the "most strange and interesting country on the globe." This combination of native history, folklore, customs, and notes on the flora and fauna of the island reported by a traveler with a humanistic mind makes a real contribution to the scarce literature on this subject.

969 Madagascar 24-12226/3

Robinson, James Harvey. Our world today and yesterday; a history of modern civilization, by James Harvey Robinson and others. Bost.Ginn,1924. 625p. illus. maps. $2.12.

An excellent outline of the history and achievements of man from ancient times to the present day for the young student. Text is interestingly presented and accompanied by many illustrations. Maps are grouped together at the end of the volume to form a small atlas.

940 Europe—History. Analytic: Europe—History—Bibliography 24-19210/4

910 GEOGRAPHY AND TRAVEL

Botsford, Jay Barrett. English society in the eighteenth century. N.Y.Macmillan,1924. 388p. $2.50.

A scholarly study showing how overseas expansion at the beginning of 1700 with its influx of new ideas and wealth so transformed English daily life and thought that a new type of individual was produced—the Anglo-Saxon with new manners, and new moral standards in business and social life. Bibliography.

914.2 Great Britain—Social life and customs || Great Britain—Economic conditions 24-12923/4

Burt, Maxwell Struthers. The diary of a dude-wrangler. N.Y.Scribner,1924. 331p. $3.

This account of the establishment of the author's "dude ranch" in Wyoming and of life there is full of comment on human nature, animals, mountains and the West, written with spirit and humor.

917.8 The West—Description and travel 24-22261/3

Carpenter, Frank George. The Alps, the Danube, and the Near East. GardenCity,N.Y.,Doubleday,1924. 310p. illus. $4.

914 Europe—Description and travel || Balkan Peninsula—Description and travel 24-20629/4

——Lands of the Andes and the desert. GardenCity,N.Y., Doubleday,1924. 286p. illus. $4.

918 South America—Description and travel 24-25530/3

——Uganda to the Cape. GardenCity,N.Y.,Doubleday,1924. 263p. illus. $4.

916.8 Africa, South—Description and travel 24-26946/3

Three more volumes of the popular, illustrated Carpenter's world travel series.

Deakin, Frank B. Spain to-day. N.Y.Knopf,1924. 221p. $2.50.

Not a series of impressions but sober facts about the present state of Spain's government, education, housing conditions, industrial and agricultural problems, the press, courts, and recent important political developments. Of special interest in the light of the publicity given to Blasco Ibañez's recent agitation against the present régime.

914.6 Spain—Social conditions || Spain—Politics and government 24-15320/4

Faris, John Thomson. Seeing Canada. Phil.Lippincott,1924. 238p. illus. $6.50.

An attractively illustrated and well written travel-guide book covering most of the better known paths of Canada from Cape Breton to Vancouver and Alaska. An appendix gives automobile roads in the Canadian rockies.

917.1 Canada—Description and travel 24-21370/3

Flaherty, Robert J. My Eskimo friends, by Robert J. Flaherty in collaboration with Frances Hubbard Flaherty. Garden City,N.Y.,Doubleday,1924. 170p. illus. $5.

A story of the author's discovery and exploration of the Belcher Islands in Hudson Bay and of life among the Eskimos in that region, where he filmed the story of "Nanook of the North." Beautifully illustrated with photogravures and color plates and spirited half-tone drawings by Eskimo artists. Maps.

917.12 Hudson Bay || Eskimos 24-23155/4

Foster, Harry La Tourette. A gringo in Mañana-land. N.Y. Dodd,1924. 357p. illus. $3.

An account of the adventures of a newspaper correspondent in his travels through Mexico and the republics of Central America. As in *A beachcomber in the Orient* (*Booklist*, 19:248, My 23) the writer's impressions and experiences are amusingly recounted, with humorous characterizations of native manners and customs that divert while they instruct.

917.2 Mexico—Description and travel || Central America—Description and travel 24-23942/4

Freeman, Lewis Ransome. Down the Grand Canyon. N.Y. Dodd,1924. 371p. illus. $3.50.

A detailed narrative of numerous adventuresome trips in the Grand Canyon region—encounters with wild game and hazardous journeys on

rapid streams undertaken in an effort to reach treacherous heights and out-of-the-way places. Parts of the book have appeared in *Sunset* and in the *National Geographic Magazine.*

917.8 Colorado River || Grand Canyon 24-23943/4

Haardt, Georges Marie. Across the Sahara by motor car, by Georges Marie Haardt and Louis Audouin-Dubreuil; tr. by E. E. Fournier d'Albe. N.Y.Appleton,1924. 255p. illus. map. $3.50.

An entertaining chronicle of an exploit by French motorists, searching for a practical link between Algeria and French West Africa. They crossed the Sahara desert in motor cars of the caterpillar type from Touggourt to Timbuctoo, in three months, a trip which by camel train takes a much longer time. Map. Well illustrated.

916.6 Sahara desert 24-26931/3

Kent, Rockwell. Voyaging southward from the Strait of Magellan. N.Y.Putnam,1924. 184p. illus. $7.50.

In a small sailboat on high seas, and on horseback across untraveled mountains in Tierra del Fuego, a thoughtful man—philosopher as well as artist—found high adventure, set it down in stirring fashion and illustrated it with his own remarkable drawings. An unforgetable book, not to be missed, similar in make-up to the author's *Wilderness.*

918.2 Tierra del Fuego—Description and travel 24-24641/3

Noice, Harold. With Stefansson in the Arctic. N.Y.Dodd, n.d. 269p. illus. map. $2.50.

Sparkling with a boy's unaffected love of adventure, the author tells of joining, at twenty, for two years, Stefansson's 1915 expedition. Well illustrated with photographs. Map.

919.8 Arctic regions 24-26926/3

The **Norway** year book, 1924; *ed.* by S. C. Hammer. N.Y. ArneKildal,Chelsea hotel,W.23dSt.,1923. 544p. map. apply.

The first issue of an excellent handbook of present-day Norway, which makes accessible in concise and convenient form economic, social, cultural, and other information about Norway.

914.8 Norway—Description and travel 24-18874/3

Rusk, C. E. Tales of a western mountaineer. Bost.Houghton, 1924. 309p. illus. $2.50.

Mountain climbing adventures in the Pacific northwest that rival similar attempts in the Alps both for beauty of the surrounding country and dangerous feats accomplished. Ascents of Mt. Adams, Baker, Rainier, Glacier Peak, Hood and Shasta are included.

917.9 Rocky Mountains || Mountaineering || U. S.—Description and travel 24-26932/5

920 OR B BIOGRAPHY

Aimery de Pierrebourg, Marguerite (Thomas-Galline) *baronne.* The life and death of Cleopatra, by Claude Ferval; tr. by M. E. Poindexter. GardenCity,N.Y., Doubleday,1924. 321p. $2.50.

A graphic biography, which, although following the well-known outlines of Cleopatra's life, is so colored by the imagination of the author that it becomes a glowing historical romance.

921 or B Cleopatra 24-24603/3

Bradford, Gamaliel. Bare souls. N.Y.Harper,1924. 340p. illus. $3.50.

The letters of a distinguished and varied group of writers including Voltaire, Cowper, Lamb and Keats are the basis for this new series of psychographic portraits. The traits emphasized are those which make each individual a normal, vital and intensely human personality.

920 or B Authors—Biography 24-23738/3

Browne, Waldo Ralph. Altgeld of Illinois, a record of his life and work. N.Y.Huebsch,1924. 342p. $3.

The first biography of the man who was governor of Illinois from 1892–1896, and whose courageous stands on more than one occasion made him the center of violent political controversy. Ably reviews his dramatic career, producing an abundance of evidence which testifies eloquently to the honesty of his motives and the worth of his public service.

921 or B Altgeld, John Peter 24-15681/3

Clemens, Samuel Langhorne. Mark Twain's autobiography, intro. by Albert Bigelow Paine. N.Y.Harper,1924. 2v. $10.

Popular expectation was so high that one is disappointed in the "revelations" but the book has all the charm of Mark Twain's other work and his voice rings from the grave with all its old warmth, wit and candor. It follows no plan or sequence and the sudden changes from things of the moment to childhood recollections are at times disconcerting.

921 or B 24-25122/3

Croly, Herbert David. Willard Straight. N.Y.Macmillan, 1924. 569p. illus. $6.

Exceptional interest attaches to this biography due to the abundance and character of the material from which it is drawn and to the peculiar fitness of the writer as an intimate friend of Straight and an exceptional interpreter. It presents a vivid narrative of a short but varied career and a living portrait of an inspiring personality. Eighty photogravure illustrations, eight unusual colored ones, from Mr. Straight's water colors, and many of his pen-and-ink drawings combine with the text in making this fine book.

921 or B Straight, Willard Dickerman 24-12001/3

Doyle, *Sir* Arthur Conan. Memories and adventures. Bost. Little,1924. 410p. illus. $4.50.

Kindly philosophy and shrewd observation combined with an unusually wide variety of incident and experience told in the author's vivid prose. An autobiography of more than ordinary interest. His psychic quest to which the remainder of his life is dedicated is confined to the last chapter.

921 or B 24-22951/3

Gilbert, Clinton Wallace. "You takes your choice." N.Y. Putnam,1924. 255p. illus. maps. $2.50.

Campaign literature that is not propaganda since it espouses no one candidate but treats each of the six aspirants for president and vice-president with equal candor and searching wit. While the special timeliness of the book is gone, many librarians will find it worth buying because of its readableness and because the pungent chapters have an interest beyond that of the moment.

920 Coolidge, Calvin || Davis, John William || La Follette, Robert Marion || Dawes, Charles Gates || Bryan, Charles Wayland || Wheeler, Burton Kendall || U. S.—Politics and government 24-21930/9

Lagerlöf, Selma Ottiliana Lovisa. Mårbacka; tr. by Velma Swanston Howard. GardenCity,N.Y.,Doubleday,1924. 288p. $2.50.

Tender recollections of the author's childhood at Mårbacka, the family home in Sweden. The old grandmother, the nurse Back-Luisa, the lieutenant father, the peasants, offer us an intimate picture of a foreign life and atmosphere, simply and beautifully told.

921 or B 24–22474/3

MacDonald, Greville. George MacDonald and his wife. N.Y. Dial,1924. 575p. illus. $6.

The first authoritative biography of the author of *At the back of the North wind,* and other fairy tales, written by his son. Not an eventful record, if one excepts the long struggle against poverty and illness, but one exceptionally rich in spiritual values. A bulky book, much too long.

921 or B MacDonald, George 24–25562/3

May, James Lewis. Anatole France, the man and his work. N.Y.Dodd,1924. 262p. illus. $3.

This volume by an enthusiastic student and personal acquaintance of Anatole France is divided equally between a biographical study and a critical analysis of his works. It presents an excellent informal portrait of the man and a well-considered study of his contributions as a writer and a thinker. Same format as the recent Dodd, Mead edition of France.

921 or B France, Anatole 24–22023/3

Wendell, Barrett. Barrett Wendell and his letters, by M. A. De Wolfe Howe. Bost.Atlantic,1924. 350p. illus. $4.50.

The biography of the Harvard man of letters who was a conspicuous figure in the life of that school for thirty years. Made up mainly of letters addressed to a wide circle of friends and occasionally to members of his family, containing expressions of his individual and decided judgments on men and affairs of the day. Bibliography.

921 or B Wendell, Barrett 24–24596/3

Wittels, Fritz. Sigmund Freud; tr. by Eden and Cedar Paul. N.Y.Dodd,1924. 287p. $3.50.

A review of the fundamental doctrines of psychoanalysis primarily in their relation to the teachings of Adler, Stekel and Jung. A succinct résumé of the main tenets of psychoanalysis and brief first-hand information about the man. Glossary and bibliography.

921 or B Freud, Sigmund || Psychoanalysis A 24–1021/4

929.4 NAMES OF PERSONS AND PLACES

Engeln, Oscar Diedrich von. The story key to geographic names, by O. D. von Engeln and Jane McKelway Urquhart. N.Y.Appleton,1924. 279p. $2.

A systematic survey by continent and country of the most important and most frequently encountered geographical names, giving the pronunciation, location, meaning, and story attached to each. A reference book for the small library and school library shelf. Index.

929.4 Names, Geographical 24–12394/3

FICTION

Bechdolt, Frederick Ritchie. Tales of the old-timers. N.Y. Century,1924. 367p. $2.

The true adventures of famous characters of the West—cowboys, horse thieves, outlaws, and settlers—retold with spirit.

Short stories 24-20378/3

Bennett, Arnold. Elsie and the child. N.Y.Doran,1924. 344p. $2.50.

The Elsie of the title story is the servant-girl of *Riceyman steps* (*Booklist,* 20:138, Ja 24) now in service with her husband Joe in the home of Dr. Raste. All of the stories testify to the author's skill as a craftsman and his ability to reveal character without sacrificing the interest of the story itself. They are varied in subject and will have a wide appeal.

Short stories 24-26938/3

Bercovici, Konrad. Iliana. N.Y.Boni and Liveright,1924. 324p. $2.

Colorful stories of Roumanian peasant and gipsy life. Although lacking in dramatic appeal the romantic themes and picturesque settings insure their popularity.

Short stories 24-21818/3

Berg, Bengt Magnus Kristoffer. The motherless; tr. from the Swedish by Charles Wharton Stork. GardenCity, N.Y.,Doubleday,1924. 234p. $2.

Extremely well done. In this study of the northern woods, inhabited by Finns and Lapps, the feelings and emotions of the motherless bear cub are adroitly indicated.

24-21357/2

Bojer, Johan. A pilgrimage; tr. by Jessie Muir. N.Y.Century,1924. 246p. $1.75.

A psychological study of obsession told with Bojer's grim realism and extreme simplicity. He presents the mental reactions of a woman possessed by a desire to find an illegitimate child she has willingly relinquished, and, as the obsession gradually grows into madness, the sacrifices she makes to continue the search.

24-20565/2

Chamberlain, George Agnew. The lantern on the plow. N.Y. Harper,1924. 409p. $2.

Although the idea with which this story opens, namely the tyranny of the soil, is not sustained, the book is an interesting study of the affairs which engross the widow of Warner Sherborne and her two children. The story is a conventional one but will interest readers who do not demand originality or reality in fiction. Appeared in *Saturday Evening Post.*

24-19919/2

Coyle, Kathleen. The widow's house. N.Y.Dutton,1924. 242p. $2.

A story of remarkable insight describing the grief of a widow for her sailor husband whom she had adored but never entirely possessed. The sea and the dead man's personality pervade the story and the latter strongly affects the widow's second love affair, which is frustrated by the call of youth to youth.

24-19529/2

Dunsany, Edward John Moreton Drax Plunkett. The king of Elfland's daughter. N.Y.Putnam,1924. 301p. $2.

A magic fantasy into which may be read many things. It carries one across the twilight border of the "land we know" into enchanted Elfland. Here are the dreams and glamour of youth, the spirit of beauty and contentment.

24-24254/2

Ertz, Susan. Nina. N.Y.Appleton,1924. 325p. $2.

As in *Madame Claire* (*Booklist,* 20:20, O 23) the author here demonstrates her ability to create gracious, understanding individuals to manipulate the affairs of the weak and well-meaning. The story, however, is built on a slender theme, the unstinting love of a woman for an incredibly irresponsible man and her unsuccessful efforts to put her devotion to the extreme test. Not so good a novel as *Madame Claire.*

24-21582/2

Fletcher, Joseph Smith. The time-worn town. N.Y.Knopf, 1924. 274p. $2.

The medieval setting of the ancient town of Hathelsborough with its old market place adds much to the interest of this convincing Fletcher mystery story. The town's 481st mayor is found murdered in the seemingly impregnable fortress, Moot hall.

24-26924/2

Freeman, Richard Austin. The red thumb mark. N.Y.Dodd, 1924. 305p. $2.

Maintains that even fingerprint experts may be mistaken and that this telltale mark is not the infallible guide to the discovery of a criminal as is popularly believed. Another Freeman deductive mystery story.

24-26925/2

Galsworthy, John. The white monkey. N.Y.Scribner,1924. 328p. $2.

The picture of a white monkey holding the rind of a squeezed fruit in his paws typified Fleur's attitude toward life. Her father, Soames Forsyte, watches uneasily while her husband Michael, believing in spite of everything that old values still remained solid in this restless world, finally sees his faith justified. A fine and living piece of work, a continuation of *The Forsyte saga* (*Booklist,* 18:295, My 22) Appeared in *Scribner's.*

24-25182/2

Georgian stories. N.Y.Putnam,1924. 334p. illus. $2.50.

Similar in plan and make-up to the 1923 collection (*Booklist,* 19:252, My 23) The stories however are more varied in theme, the light and humorous types being well represented. Among the authors included are Ernest Bramah, Phyllis Bottome, Denis Mackail, Orlo Williams, P. G. Wodehouse and Aldous Huxley.

Short stories 23-4899/3

Grew, David. The two coyotes. N.Y.Seltzer,1924. 289p. $2.

A pathetic story of a lonely man and his life in a sod hut on the prairie, comparing his reactions toward life to those of a coyote pup he tames and companions.

24-7806/2

Lincoln, Joseph Crosby. Rugged water. N.Y.Appleton,1924. 385p. $2.

An unusually good Lincoln story of the Setuckit life-saving station and

of how Calvin Homer, surfman number one, won his appointment as captain of the station.

24-23088/2

Mackenzie, Compton. The heavenly ladder. N.Y.Doran,1924. 356p. $2.50.

Completes the trilogy begun in *The altar steps* (*Booklist*, 19:86, D 22) and continued in *The parson's progress* (*Booklist*, 20:265, Ap 24) The spiritual pilgrimage of Mark Lidderdale is brought to an end by his full acceptance of Roman Catholicism.

(Cassell) 24-16885/2

Mansfield, Katherine. The little girl. N.Y.Knopf,1924. 243p. $2.50.

Admirers of Miss Mansfield's individual and subtle art will welcome this volume, which, while not so uniformly good as her earlier collections, contains some stories that rank among her best. Represents her earlier work, most of the stories having been written before the publication of *Bliss and other stories* in 1920.

24-26942/2

Mason, Alfred Edward Woodley. The house of the arrow. N.Y.Doran,1924. 311p. $2.

A poison mystery puzzle above the average in construction and style. A model of its type.

24-23087/2

May, Earl Chapin. Cuddy of the white tops. N.Y.Appleton, 1924. 272p. $1.75.

Young Clarence Cuddington Cotter's sole legacy at the close of his college career is a bill of sale to Calkins' classical circus, supposedly insolvent, but Cuddy decides to run it. How he does it makes a good story of the ups and downs of circus life.

24-14017/2

Merz, Charles. Centerville, U. S. A. N.Y.Century,1924. 275p. $2.

The characters which move through these stories of village life are ordinary types depicted in authentic, if not strikingly poignant or dramatic, situations. Agreeable in subject and unaffectedly written. Reprinted from *Collier's, Harper's* and the *Independent*.

Short stories 24-20382/3

Monkhouse, Allan Noble. My daughter Helen. N.Y.Harcourt,1924. 311p. $2.

A daughter's experiences through a stormy marriage interpreted by a devoted father. A quiet and penetrating book, showing a basic knowledge of human nature.

24-20560/2

Morrow, *Mrs* Honoré (McCue) Willsie. The Devonshers. N.Y.Stokes,1924. 354p. $2.

A dramatic tale, full of action and adventure in the Wyoming rockies. A large part of the story is taken up with the trial of Eve Devonsher, accused of murder.

24-21812/2

Mottram, Ralph Hale. The Spanish farm. N.Y.Dial,1924. 275p. $2.50.

An unusual war story, having for its setting a billeting station in Flanders, where Madeline, except for a brief interval during which she

seeks to fulfill a romantic dream of love, quietly and efficiently discharges her duties. The portrayal of her honest, provincial mind and magnificently human character is accomplished with a sureness and plausibility that raises this novel distinctly above the level of the average.

24-21587/2

Mulford, Clarence Edward. Hopalong Cassidy returns. GardenCity,N.Y.,Doubleday,1924. 310p. $2.

Although the old time "stamping ground" of Hopalong Cassidy and Red Connors is now occupied by farms and school houses, these two find thrilling cowboy adventure in their 1,500-mile journey up to Montana.

24-21144/2

Rinehart, *Mrs* **Mary (Roberts)** Temperamental people. N.Y. Doran,1924. 338p. $2.

Eight short stories dealing with people of temperament, including the queen, the secretary, the sculptor, the singer, the wife, the cowboy, the philanderer, and the doughboy. Reprinted from various periodicals.

Short stories 24-20550/3

Seltzer, Charles Alden. The way of the buffalo. N.Y.Century,1924. 318p. $2.

The passing of the old West now gone "the way of the buffalo" is typified in the fight of old Jeff Ballantine to prevent the further encroachment of the town and railroad upon the boundaries of his ranch.

24-19416/2

Smith, Arthur Douglas Howden. Porto Bello gold. N.Y. Brentano,1924. 330p. $2.

Attempts to provide an introduction to *Treasure Island,* using many of Stevenson's characters and recounting the pirates' capture of the Spanish treasure ship and how the treasure came to be buried on Dead man's chest. The eighteenth century setting of the story is well done.

24-21583/2

Speakman, Harold. This above all. Indianapolis,Bobbs-Merrill,1924. 374p. $2.

The scene of this novel, shifting from Washington square to a village in China, offers interesting sidelights on the life of those widely remote places and is full of accurate, lively local color. Characters lack intensity but it is a readable account of the struggle of a young painter to achieve absolute honesty in his art.

24-21399/2

Straus, Ralph. The unseemly adventure. N.Y.Holt,1924. 305p. $2.

The story of the adventures of the staid young squire of Queen's Dorsett who escapes from the tyranny of a dominating parent and an oppressive village atmosphere to enjoy a month's vagabonding under the generalship of Mr. Appleby Magnus, a picturesque scholar-tramp and philosopher. Improbable and diverting.

24-19422/2

Terhune, Albert Payson. The heart of a dog. N.Y.Doran, 1924. 249p. $3.

Eight short stories about the collies of the Sunnybank kennels, among whom are such well-known favorites as Treve, Lad, Buff and Lochinvar Bobby. *Contents:* Fox—The coming of Lad—The meanest man—The

tracker—"Youth will be served!"—Lochinvar Bobby—"One minute longer"—Afterword. Reprinted from various periodicals.
Short stories 24-22144/3

Thornton, A. G. An astronomer at large. N.Y.Putnam,1924. 374p. $2.

In the character of the engaging, absent-minded, middle-aged professor of astronomy who knows a great deal about Neptune B but nothing about life, who escapes to Epsom Downs where he learns many things about horse racing and ladies, there is something reminiscent of Arnold Bennett's *Buried alive*. Irresistible fun.
24-18769/2

Timmermans, Felix. Pallieter; tr. by C. B. Boddie; intro. by Hendrick Willem Van Loon. N.Y.Harper,1924. 244p. illus. $2.50.

A gay pastoral of life in a little Flemish farming community. Pallieter's days among fruit and flowers and animals are a paean of praise and exultation in the simple joy of living, which he accepts with the joyous naïveté of a child. Unusual, robust, and charming. Delightfully illustrated with ink drawings by Anton Pieck.
24-21076/2

Walpole, Hugh. The old ladies. N.Y.Doran,1924. 305p. $2.

The pathetic story of three old gentlewomen who lived at the top of a creaky, rickety house. In their characterization Mr. Walpole portrays with poignant realism the loneliness of old age reduced to penury and want. An exceptional study in human values.
24-23734/2

Wetjen, Albert Richard. Captains all. N.Y.Knopf,1924. 217p. $2.

Brief dramatic episodes of the sea, ships, and sailors, told with a vivid fresh directness. Appeared in the *Saturday Evening Post*.
Short stories 24-15678/3

Whitechurch, Victor Lorenzo. A bishop out of residence. N.Y.Duffield,1924. 315p. $2.

When the bishop of Lenchester takes up the duties of a parish priest as a rest cure, complications ensue which threaten his assumed identity with dishonor. The author's versatility is displayed in his adroit handling of this amusing situation, the vivid glimpses of the life of a country churchman and excellent sketches of a varied group of village parishioners.
24-25747/2

Widdemer, Margaret. Charis sees it through. N.Y.Harcourt, 1924. 272p. $2.

The results of an international marriage are shown in a story whose interest does not flag. The fine flower of American culture marries a Bohemian immigrant, an engineering genius. The sudden arrival of his peasant family fresh from Czechoslovakia produces amusing disaster on which the home is nearly wrecked. A happy ending is brought about naturally.
24-21401/2

Wilson, Harry Leon. Professor how *could* you! N.Y.Cosmopolitan,1924. 340p. $2.

A hilarious tale of an innocent, henpecked pedagog, "husband of the mayor," who ran away from home and joined a succession of traveling shows. Full of amusing situations and of showmen's slang, but not up to the author's standard. Appeared in the *Saturday Evening Post*.
24-23599/2

Wycliffe, John. Against the tide. N.Y.Dodd,1924. 279p. $2.

A swiftly moving, entertaining story of big business and the bitter warfare Reece Armstrong waged against business thieves, with whom he had become associated in his fight for financial success.

24-17127/2

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Ahmed Sabri. When I was a boy in Turkey, by Ahmed Sabri Bey. Bost.Lothrop,1924. 165p. illus. $1.25.

Describes life in Turkey as known by a well educated native now a political exile. He tells of the manners and customs of the people, their home life, public ceremonies and festivals and gives the historic background with something of the literature and folklore of the country. Well illustrated.

915.6 Turkey—Social life and customs || Children in Turkey 24-24709/4

Baker, Margaret. The dog, the brownie and the bramble-patch. N.Y.Duffield,1924. 131p. illus. $2.

How the dog, the brownie and the bramble-patch brought good fortune to the farmer's daughter, a character much like "Boots" the youngest brother in the old folk-tales. Similar in make-up to *The black cats and the tinker's wife* (*Booklist,* 20:104, D 23) Many illustrations in silhouette.

24-23612/2

Baker, Olaf. Thunder boy. N.Y.Dodd,1924. 288p. illus. $2.

Story of an Indian boy whose mother, believing her white husband dead, returns to her tribe. At her death the boy is brought up by his wise old grandmother and with her has many thrilling escapes from their enemies. The forest life pictured is reminiscent of *Dusty star* (*Booklist,* 19:162, F 23) and *Shasta of the wolves* (*Booklist,* 16:173, F 20) Vigorous illustrations by Paul Bransom.

24-26941/2

Berk, Lucile. Proverb stories of many lands. N.Y.Century, 1924. 250p. $1.75.

Twelve stories mostly historic or legendary each written about a boy or girl and the incidents of each story leading up to some well-known proverb. Good to read in connection with history. Will be enjoyed by children of ten and over.

24-20615/2

Brown, Edna Adelaide. Robin Hollow. Bost.Lothrop,1924. 390p. illus. $1.75.

When the doctor ordered a complete rest to restore Sandy Allison's health, he and his sixteen-year-old sister betake themselves to a cottage in the Vermont hills, the legacy of an old bachelor uncle. The story of their housekeeping, interest in village affairs and outdoor life will be welcomed by those who enjoyed *The four Gordons* (*A. L. A. Catalog 1904–11*)

24-22820/2

Charskaya, L. A. Little princess Nina; tr. by Hana Mušková. N.Y.Holt,1924. 288p. $2.

A vivid colorful story of a little Russian girl who tells of life in her native Caucasia, of her journey to a Mohammedan village to attend her aunt's wedding and of her school days in Petrograd. Her exaggerated sense of her own importance and her desire for popularity are balanced by her warmheartedness, loyalty and bravery. For girls of twelve and over.

24-26884/2

Collins, Archie Frederick. The boy chemist. Bost.Lothrop, 1924. 300p. illus. $2.

Gives directions for performing experiments, describes the reaction of chemicals on each other, tells how to equip a laboratory and make apparatus. The first ten chapters cover straight experiment work; later chapters describe certain magical or interesting experiments and one chapter deals with household chemistry. Well illustrated with many clear drawings. Index.

540 Chemistry 24-20843/3

Fairbanks, Douglas. Youth points the way. N.Y.Appleton, 1924. 86p. $1.

The movie hero writes of the need of retaining the spirit of youthful enthusiasm and tells how it may be encouraged and developed. He makes a plea for zestful physical exercise and for an alert and open mind. Will appeal to older readers as well as to the boys for whom it was written. Appeared in *Boy's Life.*

170 Conduct of life 24-21421/3

Field, Rachel Lyman. The pointed people. NewHaven, Yale univ.,1924. 98p. illus. $1.25.

Verses written as from a child's point of view telling about trees and flowers, elves and fairies about real people like great-uncle William, or again just thoughts and fancies caught in engaging rhyme. Illustrated with many attractive silhouettes.

811 or 821 24-21056/2

Finger, Charles J. Tales from silver lands. GardenCity,N.Y., Doubleday,1924. 225p. illus. $3.50.

While written primarily for children many older readers will delight in these folk-tales of South America with their strange animals and earth and sea-folk. Mr. Finger gathered these tales from native story-tellers and their artistic retelling is reminiscent of Hudson's *Little boy lost.* Charles Honoré's woodcuts in color and strong black and white reflect the atmosphere of the stories.

398 Fairy tales || Folklore—South America 24-26940/4

Hawksworth, Hallam. What are you going to be? N.Y.Century,1924. 245p. illus. $1.75.

This is intended to aid in the intelligent choice of vocations. It gives a bird's-eye view and something of the atmosphere of several chief occupations and the general principles governing success in all. Interesting illustrative material is introduced and all is presented in a style that will appeal to young people.

374.1 Profession, Choice of || Vocational guidance 24-22901/4

Hillyer, Virgil Mores. A child's history of the world. N.Y. Century,1924. 480p. illus. $3.50.

A history of the world written for young readers by a well-known educator. It is not divided into stereotyped periods but is presented as a continuous stream with outstanding events and individuals so characterized that children of nine can understand and remember. The illustrations add much to the enjoyment of the book.

909 History, Universal 24-23067/3

Hodgkins, *Mrs* **Mary Davenport Hutchinson,** *ed.* The Atlantic treasury of childhood stories. Bost.Atlantic,1924. 408p. illus. $3.50.

A collection of fifty-four folk and fairy tales, realistic and historical

stories, of various nations. Careful discrimination is shown in their choice and a regard for original sources and simple artistic presentation in the versions used. A book for the home, library or school and for students of children's literature. Includes a list of sources. Good make-up and pleasing illustrations in black and white.

808.8 Children's literature || Literature—Collections **24-25186/4**

Menzies, Lucy. A book of saints for the young, as depicted by great masters. Bost.Medici soc.,1923. 48p. illus. $2.50.

Twenty-six saints as depicted by the great masters are grouped together in this attractive, well made book. The illustrations are beautiful reproductions in color of the Medici prints. Each is accompanied by a brief story of the saint and a paragraph of information about the artist.

755 Saints—Art || Pictures **24-26945/4**

Noice, Harold. With Stefansson in the Arctic. N.Y.Dodd, n.d. 269p. illus. map. $2.50.

For note see page 107. Repeated here as a desirable book for older boys in the children's room.

Orton, Helen Fuller. Summer at Cloverfield farm. N.Y. Stokes,1924. 122p. illus. $1.

New stories about the family at Cloverfield farm and the things that happened the summer Bobby was eight. Similar in make-up to *Prince and Rover of Cloverfield farm* (*Booklist,* 18:91, Ja 23)

24-26937/2

Singmaster, Elsie. A boy at Gettysburg. Bost.Houghton, 1924. 202p. $1.75.

The story has little plot but rather pictures a boy's life in the stirring days preceding and during the Civil war. His grandfather is a staunch supporter of the northern cause and the boy develops an intense devotion to Lincoln and a desire to see him, which is finally gratified.

24-22814/2

Smith, Elmer Boyd. The country book. N.Y.Stokes,1924. 30p. illus. $2.50.

Similar in make-up to the author's previous picture books. Colored pictures full of interesting detail that tell a story for the child too young to read the accompanying simple text. In content very like *The farm book* (*A. L. A. Catalog, 1904–11*)

24-22117/2

U. S GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS

Documents should in all cases be ordered from the issuing bureau or from the Superintendent of documents, Washington, D. C. Book dealers do not supply these publications.

Issuing offices have a limited number of their publications for free distribution. When these are exhausted they must be purchased from the Superintendent of documents. When in doubt it will be well to apply first to the bureau or department responsible.

Allied powers (1919-) *Reparation commission.* Report of committees of experts to Reparation commission. Complete official English text with annexes (From Federal reserve bulletin, May 1924) Wash.Supt.ofDocs.,1924. 67p. paper, 10c.

Includes the report of the first committee of experts of which Charles

G. Dawes was chairman, and the report of the second committee of experts with Reginald McKenna as chairman.

341.1 European war, 1914-1918—Reparations || Germany—Economic conditions **24-26395/3**

Darrow, George McMillan. Blackberry growing (Agriculture department, bulletin 1399) Wash.Supt.ofDocs.,1924. 18p. illus. map. paper, 5c.

A new hybrid variety that will greatly extend the culture of the fruit in localities where it is not commonly grown.

634.7 Blackberry **Agr24-681/3**

Edmonson, J. B. The daily schedule in the high school, by J. B. Edmonson and others (Education bureau, bulletin 15) Wash.Supt.ofDocs.,1924. 17p. paper, 5c.

Will help solve some of the difficulties of arranging a daily schedule for the high school administrator. Annotated bibliography.

375 Curriculum **E24-605/3**

Roberts, W. E. Manual arts in the junior high school (Education bureau, bulletin 11) Wash.Supt.ofDocs.,1924. 89p. paper, 15c.

Attempts to answer definitely the questions "What are the aims of manual arts in the junior high school?" and "How are they to be attained in terms of teaching methods, subject matter and organization?"

371.42 Manual training **E24-613/3**

U. S. Agriculture department. Agriculture yearbook of the U. S. Dept. of agriculture, 1923. Wash.Supt.ofDocs., 1924. 1284p. illus. $1.25.

Contains special studies on sugar, the sheep industry, our forage resources, the utilization of land for crops, pasture, and forests, the economic aspects of land tenure, the Secretary's report to the President in 1923, followed by the statistical portion to which much new material has been added.

630 Agriculture—U. S. **Agr7-1035/3**

U. S. Agriculture department. *Extension service. Office of cooperative extension work.* Methods and results of cooperative extension work, reported through county agricultural agents (Agriculture department, circular 316) Wash. Supt.ofDocs.,1924. 40p. illus. paper, 10c.

A review of the activities of county agents in farm-home improvement projects including work with boys and girls, and what has been accomplished.

630.7 Agricultural education **Agr24-520/3**

U. S. Agriculture department. *States relations service.* Organization and results of boys' and girls' club work, northern and western states (Agriculture department, circular 312) Wash.Supt.ofDocs.,1924. 52p. illus. paper 10c.

A report of various activities and achievements.

630 Agricultural societies || Boys' clubs || Girls' clubs **Agr24-678/5**

U. S. National park service. Map of national park-to-park highway, master scenic highway of America, showing every town, village, and hamlet throughout its entire length as developed by National park-to-park highway association. Scale 100m=1.6 in. (Geological survey, 1924) 26.5 by 18.1 in. Free upon application.

U. S.—Map

U. S. *President.* American naval policy as outlined in messages of the presidents of the United States from 1790 to 1924. Wash.Supt.of Docs.,1924. 34p. paper, 10c.

In which Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., brings down to date a pamphlet compiled by his father in 1897, covering the period from 1790 to the time of President Benjamin Harrison. Includes a portion of President Harding's last speech on "Our Navy" and there is added as an appendix an extract from the report of the Secretary of the navy for 1922.

973 U. S.—History, naval 24-26797/3

Whitcomb, Emeline Storm. Sources of useful information for the teacher of home economics (Education bureau, home economics circular 19) Wash.Supt.ofDocs., 1924. 18p. paper, 5c.

A suggestive outline of general information for the teacher, giving annotated bibliographies covering the field of home economics under headings of: educational objectives—health—citizenship—junior high school—senior high school—educational measurements—general and vocational home economics—subject matter pertaining to foods, clothing and shelter—school finance—illustrative material for the teaching of home economics, and current literature available.

640 Home economics—Bibliography E24-629/3

Windes, Eustace Evan, *comp.* Government publications useful to teachers (Education bureau, bulletin 23) Wash. Supt.ofDocs.,1924. 34p. illus. paper, 10c.

An excellent summary of source material which can be procured through the United States government departments, either free or at a small cost, compiled by the associate specialist in rural education.

016 U. S.—Government publications—Bibliography || Education—Bibliography E24-604/4

Winslow, Mary Nelson. Married women in industry (Women's bureau, bulletin 38) Wash.Supt.of Docs.,1924. 8p. paper, 5c.

An address delivered before the National conference of social work, Washington, D. C., by the editor of the Women's bureau.

331.4 Woman—Employment L24-12/3

Women's industrial conference, *Washington, D. C.* Proceedings of the Women's industrial conference (Bulletin 33) Wash. Supt.of Docs.,1923. 190p. paper, 20c.

A complete record of discussions representing sixty-seven organizations in forty-two different states. Will interest women in industry and women's clubs.

331.4 Woman—Employment L24-12/3

The following Farmers' bulletins may be obtained from the Superintendent of documents, Washington, D. C. Price, each, 5c, unless otherwise noted.

Ashbrook, F. G. & Earnshaw, F. L. Laws relating to fur animals for the season 1924–1925 (Farmers' bulletin 1445) Agr 16–245.

Black, W. H. & McComas, E. W. Beef on the farm—slaughtering, cutting, curing (Farmers' bulletin 1415) Agr 24–832.

Darrow, G. M. Dewberry growing (Farmers' bulletin 1403) Agr 24–830.

Greeley, W. B. Idle land and costly timber (Farmers' bulletin 1417) Agr 24–335.

Hauck, C. W. Preparation of cabbage for market (Farmers' bulletin 1423) Agr 24–748.

Hawthorne, H. W. & Roberston, L. Successful farming on eighty-acre farms in Central Indiana (Farmers' bulletin 1421) Agr 24–691.

Lawyer, G. A. & Earnshaw, F. L. Game laws for the season 1924–25 (Farmers' bulletin 1444) Agr 6–384.

Lee, A. R. & Haynes, S. Poultry accounts (Farmers' bulletin 1427) Agr 24–650.

Le Fevre, E. Making vinegar in the home and on the farm (Farmers' bulletin 1424) Agr 24–649.

Williams, J. O. & Krantz, E. B. Care and management of farm work horses (Farmers' bulletin 1419) Agr 24–740.

PAMPHLETS

We are able to print this list through the kindness of Miss Florence L. Jones, Chief of the Reference Department of the Indianapolis public library.

A. E. W. Mason; appreciations, with biographical particulars and notes on his books. N.Y. Doran. 22p. free.

The **American** code of laws for mah jong; formulated under the auspices of the Auction bridge and mah jong magazine. 149 Broadway, N.Y. John H. Smith publishing corporation. 40p. 50c.

The **appeal** of gleaming silver. Cincinnati, Ohio. The American laundry machinery company. Specialty department. 33p. free.

Better hosiery; the story of holeproof. Milwaukee, Wis. Holeproof hosiery company. 23p. free.

Bigelow, H. R. How to read blue prints; a lesson in plan reading for builders. Chicago, Ill. Chicago technical college. 23p. free.

The **Brooklyn institute of arts and sciences.** Children's museum. Some nature books for mothers and children in the Children's museum library; a brief annotated list for students on various phases of nature study. Rev. ed. 9p. 25c.

The **Czechoslovak** republic; facts and figures. First Avenue and 74th St., N.Y. Bank of Europe. 32p. free.

Fowle, Arthur E. Flat glass. Toledo, Ohio. The Libbey-Owens sheet glass company. 73p. $1.00.

Getting the most out of sales conventions. Cincinnati, Ohio. The Procter & Collier company. 22p. free.

Glimstead, O. H. Adhesive plaster bandaging in athletics; an illustrated handbook on proper methods of applying preventive, protective and corrective bandages. New Brunswick, N.J. Johnson & Johnson. 64p. free.

Guide to Connecticut state parks and forests. Hartford, Conn. Connecticut state park and forest commission. 56p. 25c.

Information about the soaking of silk. 41 Park Row, N.Y. Neutrasol products corporation. 27p. free.

Kornhauser, A. W. How to study; some suggestions for college students. 5750 Ellis Ave., Chicago, Ill. University of Chicago press. 43p. 27c postpaid.

The **lure** of the fireplace. Louisville, Ky. Peerless manufacturing company. 23p. free.

McKie, George. Studies in the modern English novel; a program for women's clubs (Extension bul., v.3, no. 10) Chapel Hill, N.C. University of North Carolina. Extension division. 55p. 50c.

Manchuria where East meets West. 111 Broadway, N.Y. South Manchuria railway company. American office. 21p. free.

Modern road construction. Youngstown, Ohio. Truscon steel company. Advertising department. 80p. free.

New Orleans; a city of old romance and new opportunity. New Orleans, La. Southern railway system. 31p. free.

Phillips, Martha Jane. Modern home dyeing. N.Y. Charles Francis press. 46p. 50c.

Procter, William Cooper. Guaranteed year round employment. Gwynne bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio. Procter & Gamble company. 30p. free.

Republic of Esthonia. 38 Park Row, N.Y. Esthonian consulate. 25p. free.

Security trust & savings bank. Department of reseach and service. Financial operations of community chests in American cities, by J. R. Douglas. Los Angeles, Cal. Published by the Bank. 45p. free. Limited supply.

Souvenir of Indianapolis. Indianapolis, Ind. Kingan & Company. 48p. free. While an advertisement for Kingan & Co., the booklet contains excellent small pictures of public buildings, including the Indianapolis Public Library and a picture of the home of James Whitcomb Riley.

The **story** of a Buckingham rug. Wayne Junction, Philadelphia, Pa. H. G. Fetterolf company. 23p. free.

Thiessen, Reinhardt. Origin and constitution of coal. Wilkes-Barre, Pa. Wyoming historical and geological society. 45p. 50c.

Towne, R. S. Your teeth; a study in oral hygiene. 1516 Orleans St., Chicago, Ill. W. M. Welch manufacturing company. 40p. 40c.

Wehde, Albert. Chasing and repoussé; a practical treatise on the art of ornamentation in precious metals as practiced by the jeweler engraver, with special reference to the making of tools. 621 Plymouth Court, Chicago, Ill. Tremonia publishing company. 24p. 60c.

When disaster strikes; suggestions for Red Cross chapters. Washington, D. C. American national Red Cross. 31p. free.

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FRENCH BOOKS

Selected and annotated by the American Library in Paris

Barres, Maurice. Une enquête au pays du Levant. Paris, Plon, 1923. 2v. fr. 14.

Published the week the author died, this book contains some of his finest and most brilliant work. He has made a profound study of conditions, physical and spiritual, in the Orient, particularly in Palestine and Syria, and here gives his conclusions, not only of things as they are, but for the future as well. 24–7127

Gobineau, Comte de. La fleur d'or. Paris, Grasset, 1923. 140p. fr. 6.50.

An original survey of the Italian renaissance, under the headings: Savonarola—Caesar Borgia—Julius II—Leo X and Michael Angelo. This book in praise of Latin culture is in direct contrast with the author's earlier works, which bear a distinct Germanic stamp. 24–2340

Grappe, Georges Pierre François. La vie de J. H. Fragonard. Paris, Cress, 1923. 247p. illus. fr. 8.

The critic, artist as well as writer, describes the life of one of the greatest French painters of the eighteenth century. 24–26927

Halévy, Daniel. Vauban. Paris, Grasset, 1923. 207p. fr. 6.75.

Vivid detailed biography of the minister of Louis XIV, noteworthy for the light which it throws on the politics of that period. 23–16108

Lasserre, Pierre. Renan et nous. Paris, Grasset, 1923. 243p. fr. 6.50 23–16108

Grand Prix de Littérature de l'Académie Française. The author has had this work in preparation for a number of years. It throws new light on Renan's life and thought. 23–7857

Rostand, Jean. Deux angoisses: la mort, l'amour. Paris, Fasquelle, 1923. 210p. fr. 6.75.

Meditations on the psychology of love and jealousy, showing the relation between death and betrayal. 24–24928

FICTION

Delarue-Mardrus, Lucie. Le pain blanc. Paris, Ferenczi, 1923. 278p. fr. 6.75.

The story of the escape of a young musician from an unhappy family environment. 23–15616

Gaumont, Jean et Cé, Camille. La grande route des hommes. Paris, Grasset, 1923. 340p. fr. 7.

A tale of humble people, the failure of whose ambitions leads them to realize the joys of a simple existence. 23–15386

Morand, Paul. Lewis et Irene. Paris, Grasset, 1924. 256p. fr. 6.75.

A story showing how business may become the only aim of modern man and woman, to the exclusion of the human equations. 24–7138

Rosenthal, Gabrielle. L'initiation. Paris, Monde Nouveau, 1923. 188p. fr. 6.

A story illustrating the progress which has been made in the education of French women. 24–7339

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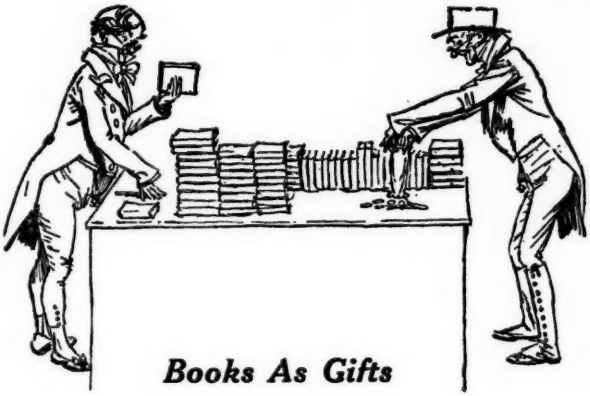

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